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the following fortification measures had been carried out on islands in the Boca Tigris area* under the leadership of Soviet advisor Malinov,** 14 Soviet technicians, and the survey corps of the National Defense Investigation Section:

a. Tungao (113- , 22-) was equipped with one 4 inch cannon, two 3.7 inch cannon, one anti-aircraft gun, and two anti-tank guns. The anti-tank guns belong to the 3 Artillery Battalion of the 6 Military Sub-District. Fortresses were constructed at Tungpishan (東壁山), Yap'eng (耶達), T'ienchiyen (天濟巖), and Shihch'uanglin (石林林); all on Tungao.

b. Nanshanwei (南山尾) is being equipped with one 3.7 inch cannon, twelve 82 mm mortars, 12 ammunition depots, and 3 gasoline tanks. Steel, cement, lumber, and communication supplies are being shipped to this island.

2. In addition, the islands are being equipped with one 2.5 inch cannon each and other artillery as follows:

a. Ch'ingehou (111-29, 21-28), Tap'ut'ai (114- , 22-), and Hsiaop'ut'ai (114- , 22-) are each receiving one piece of heavy artillery.

b. Tankan (114- , 22-) and Kaolan (113-16, 21-56) are each receiving one 3.7 inch cannon.

c. Wailingting (114- , 22-) receives one 4 inch cannon.

d. Chiao (113-38, 22-24) receives one 2.5 inch cannon.***

e. Noilingting (113-50, 22-24) receives one 2.5 inch cannon.***

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